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Application of David A. Morgenstern et al. Art Unit 1625  
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For PROCESS AND CATALYST FOR DEHYDROGENATING PRIMARY ALCOHOLS TO  
MAKE CARBOXYLIC ACID SALTS  
Examiner Taylor V. Oh

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AMENDMENT E

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the Office action mailed September 2, 2005,  
please enter the following amendments and consider the following  
remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 28 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 35 of this paper.



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CONCLUSION

Favorable reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims are respectfully solicited.

The Commissioner is requested to charge any fee deficiency or overpayment in connection with this amendment to Deposit Account 19-1345.

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